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H.R.382

To amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act with respect to municipal deposits.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. Gillmor introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

A BILL

To amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act with respect to municipal deposits.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Municipal Deposit In-
- 5 surance Protection Act of 2007".
- 6 SEC. 2. INCREASED INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MUNIC-
- 7 IPAL DEPOSITS.
- 8 Section 11(a)(2) of the Federal Deposit Insurance
- 9 Act (12 U.S.C. 1821(a)(2)) is amended—
- 10 (1) in subparagraph (A)—

1	(A) by moving the margins of clauses (i)
2	through (v) 4 ems to the right;
3	(B) by striking, in the matter following
4	clause (v), "such depositor shall" and all that
5	follows through the period; and
6	(C) by striking the semicolon at the end of
7	clause (v) and inserting a period;
8	(2) by striking "(2)(A) Notwithstanding" and
9	all that follows through "a depositor who is—" and
10	inserting the following new paragraph:
11	"(2) Municipal depositors.—
12	"(A) In General.—Notwithstanding any
13	limitation in this Act or in any other provision
14	of law relating to the amount of deposit insur-
15	ance available to any 1 depositor—
16	"(i) a municipal depositor shall, for
17	the purpose of determining the amount of
18	insured deposits under this subsection, be
19	deemed to be a depositor separate and dis-
20	tinct from any other officer, employee, or
21	agent of the United States or any public
22	unit referred to in subparagraph (E); and
23	"(ii) except as provided in subpara-
24	graph (B), the deposits of a municipal de-
25	positor shall be insured in an amount not

1	to exceed the standard maximum deposit
2	insurance amount, as defined in paragraph
3	(1)(E).
4	"(B) In-state municipal depositors.—
5	In the case of the deposits of an in-State mu-
6	nicipal depositor described in clause (ii), (iii),
7	(iv), or (v) of subparagraph (E) at an insured
8	depository institution, such deposits shall be in-
9	sured in an amount not to exceed the lesser
10	of—
11	"(i) \$2,000,000; or
12	"(ii) the sum of—
13	"(I) the standard maximum de-
14	posit insurance amount; and
15	"(II) 80 percent of the amount of
16	any deposits in excess of such
17	amount.
18	"(C) Municipal deposit parity.—No
19	State may deny to insured depository institu-
20	tions within its jurisdiction the authority to ac-
21	cept deposits insured under this paragraph, or
22	prohibit the making of such deposits in such in-
23	stitutions by any in-State municipal depositor.
24	"(D) In-state municipal depositor de-
25	FINED.—For purposes of this paragraph, the

1	term 'in-State municipal depositor' means a
2	municipal depositor that is located in the same
3	State as the office or branch of the insured de-
4	pository institution at which the deposits of
5	that depositor are held.
6	"(E) Municipal depositor.—For pur-
7	poses of this paragraph, the term 'municipal de-
8	positor' means a depositor that is—";
9	(3) by striking "(B) The" and inserting the fol-
10	lowing:
11	"(F) Authority to limit deposits.—
12	The"; and
13	(4) by striking "depositor referred to in sub-
14	paragraph (A) of this paragraph" each place such
15	term appears and inserting "municipal denositor"